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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed for filing in the application referenced above are the following:

Copy of Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated July 11, 2007

Amendment and Response to Non-Final Office Action correcting status identifier.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit over-payment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4550. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This responds to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated July 11, 2007. A onemonth period for response was set, making a response due on or before August 11, 2007. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 10.

A brief **Conclusion** is provided on page 10.